High School Diploma Request Requirements for DCS Students Beginning High School in Fall 2009 (items needed)

Roster of Graduates form (CS-0886), Cumulative Student Transcript (CS-0170) that documents completion of the State Core Curriculum minimum of 22 credits <u>AND all supporting transcripts</u> from other high schools used to compile the final transcript.

| State Core Curriculum | Credits |
|-----------------------|--|
| English * | 4 |
| Mathematics ** | 4 |
| Science *** | 3 |
| Social Studies **** | 3 |
| Wellness | 1 |
| Physical Education | 1/2 |
| Personal Finance | 1/2 |
| Fine Arts | 1 |
| Foreign Language | 2 (in the same Language) |
| Elective Focus ***** | 3 (or 6 if student did not take foreign language and fine arts course) |
| Total | 22 . |

- * English I, II, III, and IV
- ** Algebra I, Geometry, Algebra II **then** a 4th year of higher Math (**SPED** students may take Algebra IA & IB then Geometry IA & IB for one full credit each to satisfy the four year math requirement. All students must be enrolled in a Math course each high school year.
- *** Biology I, another lab science and Chemistry I **OR** Physics (**SPED** students may take Biology IA & IB for one credit each to earn two science credits then one additional lab science to meet the 3 required.)
- **** World History **OR** World Geography, U.S. History, Economics, and Government ***** If student takes 2 years of Foreign Language and one Fine Arts credit then 3 additional elective credits are needed. 6 elective credits are required for others.

Items needed for all diplomas - SPED and Regular

- 1. Roster of Graduates form (check appropriate <u>diploma type box</u> at top of form, regular or special education) Complete this form regardless of diplomas type.
- 2. Final Cumulative Transcript Complete form regardless of diplomas type.
- 3. Include all transcripts used to compile the final transcript.

For Special Education Diplomas - Documentation of 4 years of high school will be necessary.

- 1. Copy of most current IEP indicating that all goals have been completed. .
- 2. Copy of minutes from last IEP meeting documenting the team's recommendation for a sped diploma
- 3. Summary of Performance form completed at exit IEP meeting